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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

RAVALLI COUNTY REPUBLICAN  
CENTRAL COMMITTEE; et al.,

Plaintiffs - Appellants,

v.

LINDA MCCULLOCH, in her official  
capacity as Montana's Secretary of State;  
et al.,

Defendants - Appellees.

No. 15-35967

D.C. No. 6:14-cv-00058-BMM  
District of Montana,  
Helena

ORDER

Before: LEAVY, M. SMITH, and IKUTA, Circuit Judges.

Appellants' motion to expedite this appeal is denied.

The opening brief has been filed. The answering brief remains due January 15, 2016, and the optional reply brief is due January 19, 2016.